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Applicant : Igor K. Kotliar

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Title of  
Invention: Hypoxic Fire Prevention and Fire Suppression Systems for computer  
rooms and other human occupied facilities

Group Art Unit: 3744

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**AMENDMENT AND ELECTION OF INVENTION PART II  
CLEAN VERSION OF THE AMENDED CLAIMS**

SIR:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated 04/24/2001, please  
find enclosed Clean Version of the amended claims: